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Governor Tony Evers Proclamation

## **QUOTE OF THE DAY**

“The advantage of poetry over life is that poetry, if it is sharp enough, may last.” – Louise Glück

“Historical sense and poetic sense should not, in the end, be contradictory, for if poetry is the little myth we make, history is the big myth we live, and in our living, constantly remake.” – Robert Penn Warren

“The poem... is a little myth of man's capacity of making life meaningful. And in the end, the poem is not a thing we see — it is, rather, a light by which we may see — and what we see is life.” – Robert Penn Warren

“In the world of words, the imagination is one of the forces of nature.” – Wallace Stevens

“Art at its greatest is fantastically deceitful and complex.” – Vladimir Nabokov

“In my music, I'm trying to play the truth of what I am. The reason it's difficult is because I'm changing all the time.” – Charles Mingus

## VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Antigo Visual Arts is hoping to foster a love for the arts in local students.](#)  
*Up North @ 4*

[The Wisconsin Muslim Project](#)  
*Wisconsin Life | PBS Wisconsin*

[Lara Downes: Tiny Desk Concert](#)  
*NPR Music*

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## TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

### FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

[NEW 2023 Best Communities for Music Education Districts](#)  
*NAMM Foundation*

The Wisconsin Arts Board congratulates the following Wisconsin Districts that made this list: Beaver Dam Unified School District; Beloit Turner School District; Chilton Public Schools; Delevan-Darien School District; Glenwood City Schools; Hortonville Area School District; Howard-Suamico School District; Hudson School District; Kaukauna Area School District; Kenosha Unified School District; Kettle Moraine School District; Kimberly Area School District; Lake Mills Area School District; Mequon-Thiensville School District; Neenah Joint School District; Oregon School District; Platteville School District; Port Washington-Saukville School District; Pulaski Community School District; Rosholt School District; School District of Fort Atkinson; School District of Jefferson; School District of River Falls; Slinger School District; Watertown Unified School District; Wauwatosa School District; West Allis-West Milwaukee School District; Whitewater Unified School District; Williams Bay School District.

[NEW 2023 Supportmusic Merit Award Schools](#)  
*NAMM Foundation*

The Wisconsin Arts Board congratulates the following Wisconsin schools that made this list: Richland Center High School; St. Bruno Parish School, Dousman; Westosha Central High School, Salem.

[NEW Wisconsin's Creative Economy Coalition launches](#)  
*WisBusiness*

[Free Course: Creative Aging Foundations On Demand](#)

*Lifetime Arts*

**Online, On Demand**

[Wisconsin's Underfunded Arts](#)

*Door County Pulse Podcast*

*This podcast features Peninsula Players Managing Director and Wisconsin Arts Board Chairperson Brian Kelsey.*

[Joint Finance Committee members schedule public hearings on state budget](#)

*WKOW*

**April 26 | Minocqua**

[Arts and Well-Being Data for a New Policy Era](#)

*Measure for Measure | National Endowment for the Arts*

[Governor Evers Proposes Historic \\$100 Million Investment in the Arts](#)

*Wisconsin Arts Board*

Also

[Proposed budget includes 'significant' funding boost for arts and culture](#)

*WXPR*

[NEA 2023 Grant Opportunities Now Available](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadlines: Various**

[NEW NCN Articles of Interest | April 21, 2023](#)

*National Creativity Network*

**2023 Congressional Art Competition**

[5th Congressional District Art Competition](#)

*Office of Congressman Scott Fitzgerald*

**Deadline: May 1**

**Job Opportunities**

[Director of Development](#)

*Madison Ballet*

**Deadline: April 30**

[Deputy director position remains open; applications still being accepted](#)

*Nebraska Arts Council*

**Deadline Extended: Now May 2**

Arts Job: ICA Executive Director

*Idaho Commission on the Arts*

**Deadline: May 5**

Development Director, Marketing and Communications Director, Data and Communications Assistant

*Milwaukee Chamber Theatre*

**Until Filled**

Call for Art Science Interns– Drawing Water: Engaging Community through Art and Science in Northern Wisconsin

*UW-Madison Trout Lake Station*

**Until Filled**

Hospitality Manager

*Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts*

**Deadline for priority consideration: Open until filled**

Program & Marketing Manager

*Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts*

**Deadline for priority consideration: Open until filled**

Seasonal Gardens & Grounds Intern

*Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts*

**Deadline for priority consideration: Open until filled**

President and CEO | Marcus Performing Arts Center

*Arts Consulting Group*

**Until Filled**

Director, Mead Witter School of Music

*Jobs @ UW-Madison*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Administrative Assistant

*Write On, Door County*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Executive Director

*Peninsula School of Art*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Marketing and Public Relations Manager

*Bergstrom-Mahler Museum of Glass*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Communications Manager

*Mid-America Arts Alliance*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Executive Director

*Cedarburg Art Museum*

**Deadline: Until filled**

Tour Guide

*The Mining & Rollo Jamison Museums*

**Until filled**

Director of AEP6 Community Engagement & Equity

*Americans for the Arts*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Operations Manager

*Campanile Center for the Arts*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Communications Manager

*Grantmakers in the Arts*

**Deadline: Review of applications will begin on January 18 and will close when position is filled.**

Careers

*gener8tor*

**Deadline: Various**

**Deadlines | Resources | Events**

2023 Co-op Opportunities

*Travel Wisconsin*

**Deadline: First-Come-First-Serve**

World Premiere Wisconsin To Host Inaugural Festival Celebrating New Plays And Musicals,  
March 1- June 30

*BroadwayWorld.com*

**Through June 30**

Grants for Humanities Programs

*Wisconsin Humanities*

**August 15, December 15 | Major Grants**

**May 1, August 1, November 1 | Mini Grants**

9th World Summit on Arts & Culture

*International Federation of Arts Councils and Culture Agencies*

**May 3 - 5, 2023 | Stockholm, Sweden**

Poetry Out Loud National Finals Return to Washington, DC  
*National Endowment for the Arts*  
**May 9 - 10**

Conversations of the Valley 2023 | Regional Resiliency  
*St. Croix Valley Foundation*  
**May 10** "Childcare's Role In Resiliency"

2023 AAM Annual Meeting & MuseumExpo  
*American Alliance of Museums*  
**May 19 – 22 | Denver, CO**

The UPAF Ride for the Arts, presented by Miller Lite, returns to Henry Maier Festival Park  
June 4 with Expanded Hoan Loop Bike Course  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**June 4**

National Forum on Education Policy  
*Education Commission of the States*  
**July 12 - 14 | Minneapolis**

DNR now taking entries for wildlife stamp design  
*Point/Plover Metro Wire*  
**July 15**

Braking Point  
*Association of Midwest Museums and Association of Indiana Museums Joint Conference*  
**July 19 | Virtual**  
**July 26 – 29 | In-Person**

Announcing the Inaugural Midwest Arts Xpo (MAX)  
*Arts Midwest*  
**September 18 – 21, 2023**

AIGA Design Conference  
*AIGA*  
**October 12 – 14 | New York City**

2021-22 Kennedy Center Professional Learning Opportunities for Teachers  
*The Kennedy Center*  
**Season**

Online Workshops and Conversations  
*Creative Capital*  
**Various**

## Webinars

*Performing Arts Readiness*

**Various**

## Springboard for the Arts Calendar of Events

*Springboard for the Arts*

**Various**

## **IN THE NEWS**

### **Visual Arts/Museums**

Madison photographer Shalicia Johnson's artwork featured in international art gallery exhibition in Springfield, Illinois

*Madison365*

Absence makes the 'art' grow fonder: Racine native illustrator wins UW-Whitewater award after moving back to Wisconsin

*Racine Journal Times*

Modern art prints discovered in donation to Habitat for Humanity's Franklin restore sold for \$88,000. Here's why.

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

John Michael Kohler Arts Center Receives 2023 Governor's Tourism Award

*Seehafernews.com*

The Hopper Prize invites applications from visual artists

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 16**

Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts invites applications from contemporary visual arts writers

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 17**

VIA Art Fund invites applications for fall 2023 Artistic Production Grants

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 18 (Letters of Inquiry)**

The Messy and Vulnerable Truth about Trust and Museums

*Alliance Blog | American Alliance of Museums*

### **Arts and Creativity in Education**

U.S. Rep. Van Orden: Announces art competition winners

*WisPolitics*

[State superintendent 'deeply troubled' by Waukesha Schools administration after the decision to ban 'Rainbowland'](#)

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

["The Appleshaped Earth and We Upon It," original poem by MFA student Aurora Shimshak](#)

*Division of the Arts | UW-Madison*

[BreakThrU: Art, architecture and manufacturing intersect with new Milwaukee sculpture](#)

*WisBusiness*

[2023/2024 Application | Kohler Fellows@WID](#)

*Wisconsin Institute for Discovery and the Kohler Foundation*

**Deadline: April 30**

[Universities in Wisconsin and beyond line up to serve those impacted by Cardinal Stritch](#)

[University closure](#)

*Wisconsin Public Radio*

## **Community Arts**

[It's Only 10 Minutes: April 24](#)

*Madison365*

[Winning downtown revitalization strategies - WEDC honors best Main Street initiatives with awards](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

## **Folk Arts/Folklife**

[How Did Polka Become A Dance And Tradition? You Betcha We Have An Answer! A Peek At Wisconsin's Love Affair With Polka From A Hall Of Famer](#)

*Whysconsin | Wisconsin Public Radio*

[Why booyah is 'Northeast Wisconsin's best kept secret'](#)

*Fox 11 News | WLUK*

## **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[Author Randy R. Domer digs into quirky stories from Oshkosh's past | Lit Wisconsin](#)

*Oshkosh Northwestern*

[National Center for the Preservation of Democracy at the Japanese American National](#)

[Museum invites applications for the Irene Yamamoto Arts Writers Fellowship](#)

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 1**



[Judy Blume Talks Censorship With 16-Year-Old Bookstore Owner: 'It's People Like You Who Give Us Hope'](#)

*Variety*

[Hilda Conkling | Gift](#)

*Poem-a-Day, Poets.org*

## **Media Arts**

[Pillars Fund invites applications for Pillars Artist Fellowship](#)

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 31**

## **Performing Arts**

### **Music**

[TAKING REQUESTS: Howard 'Guitar' Luedtke & Blue Max Release New Album](#)

*Volume One Magazine*

[How Irish folk music inspired Trapper Schoepp's 'Siren Songs'](#)

*World Café Words and Music Podcast | NPR*

### **Presenting**

[The Gobbler is about to get new owners and little more groovy](#)

*Wisconsin State Journal*

### **Theater**

[How Do Actors Find Housing When They Get Gigs Out of Town? Well, It Depends.](#)

*The New York Times*

## **Other**

[Quick Study: Gender-Inclusive IP Creation Benefits Consumers](#)

*By Any Measure | ArtsJournal.com*

[How to Handle Your Donor Data](#)

*NonProfit Pro*

[Nonprofits Scramble for Help Amid Dearth of Volunteers](#)

*Philanthropy Today | The Chronicle of Philanthropy*

## **WHEN YOU GO**

For more event listings, please go to the new Wisconsin Events page on TravelWisconsin.com: <https://www.travelwisconsin.com/events>.

## Visual Arts/Museums

[Popular Lakefront Festival of Art Returns to the Milwaukee Public Museum in June](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**June 16 – 18**

## Arts and Creativity in Education

[Remake Learning festival offers nature activities and more through Saturday](#)  
*Wisconsin State Journal*  
**Through April 29**

[UW–Madison’s 2023-24 University Theatre schedule announced](#)  
*School of Education | UW-Madison News*  
**Season**

## Community Arts

[What to do in Madison this week: ‘Pieced Together,’ ‘Three Weeks’ and more Isthmus Picks](#)  
*Isthmus*  
**April 24 – 27**

## Performing Arts

### Music

[Philomusica Quartet In a French Mood](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**April 24**

### Presenting

[Music in the Mezz featuring Amelia Ford](#)  
*WeAreGreenBay.com*  
**April 26**

[Annika Nelson to kick off 2023 Season of Arts at the Waelderhaus on April 30, followed by Chordsmen on May 7](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**April 30, May 7**

[Summerfest Announces Lineup of Activities and Promotions to Celebrate 55th Anniversary](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**Various**

## Theater

'Zuri's Crown' is a new Black musical that puts a different spin on the Rapunzel fairy tale

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

**April 27 – 29**

## OPPORTUNITIES

April 2023 Opportunities: Open Calls, Residencies, and Grants for Artists

*Colossal*

**Deadlines: Various | April**

Grants, Residencies, and Open Calls for April & May

*Creative Capital*

**Various | April & May**

Springboard for the Arts Calendar of Events

*Springboard for the Arts*

**Various**

Are you raising impact capital for the creative economy?

*UpStart Co-Lab*

**Deadline: Open**

RJE Sprout Fund Invites Proposals From Artists Working With Underserved Communities

*PND by Candid*

**Deadline: Rolling**

Call for Artwork

*Northeast Wisconsin Technical College*

**Monthly Review**

Maker Educator Leadership Certificate Program

*Professional Learning and Community Education | UW-Madison*

**Through November 2023**

Research & Development Grant

*Chicken & Egg Pictures*

**Deadline: April 24**

Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center Residency Program invites applicants for 2024

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: April 26**

Museum of Arts and Design invites applications for the Burke Prize

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: April 28**

Call for Artists

*ArtFest Green Bay*

**Deadline: April 30**

**Event: July 28 – 30**

DNR accepting entries for 2024 State Park and Forest vehicle admission sticker

*WXOW*

**Deadline: April 30**

**NEW** 2023/2024 Application | Kohler Fellows@WID

*Wisconsin Institute for Discovery and the Kohler Foundation*

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**NEW** National Center for the Preservation of Democracy at the Japanese American  
National Museum invites applications for the Irene Yamamoto Arts Writers Fellowship

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 1**

RFP: 125th Anniversary Art Piece

*City of Waukesha*

**Deadline: May 1**

Grants for Humanities Programs

*Wisconsin Humanities*

**August 15, December 15 | Major Grants**

**May 1, August 1, November 1 | Mini Grants**

DNR accepting entries for Air, Air, Everywhere Poetry Contest

*The Chetek Alert*

**Deadline: May 5**

Also

DNR Accepting Entries for Air, Air, Everywhere Poetry Contest - Poetry Contest Is  
Open To Students In Grades 3-5

*Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources*

**Deadline: May 5**

Futures Reimagined: RAM Community Art Show

*Racine Art Museum*

**Deadline: May 13**

Academy of American Poets invites applications for Lenore Marshall Poetry Prize

*Philanthropy News Digest*

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*Andy Warhol Foundation*

**Deadline: May 17**

**Application: Dance for Diversity**

*Danceworks*

**Deadline: May 18**

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*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 18 (Letters of Inquiry)**

**2023 Stevens Point Sculpture Park Juried Call**

*Stevens Point Sculpture Park*

**Deadline: May 19**

**Call for mural artists | Town of Rome**

*Wisconsin Rapids City-Times*

**Deadline: May 24**

**Submit a National Heritage Fellowship Nomination**

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadline: May 31**

Also

**NEA National Heritage Fellowships: How to Make a Nomination**

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Starving Artist Fair accepting applications**

*Racine Journal Times*

**Deadline: May 31**

**NEW** [Pillars Fund invites applications for Pillars Artist Fellowship](#)

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 31**

**2024 Accelerator Awards**

*The Lewis Prize for Music*

**Deadline: June 2**

**TWIG Application Info & Guidelines**

*Mitchell Street Arts Collaborative*

**Applications Close: June 23**

42nd Annual Artstreet 2023

*Mosaic Arts, EntryThingy*

**Deadline: June 30**

DNR now taking entries for wildlife stamp design

*Point/Plover Metro Wire*

**July 15**

Stochastic Labs invites applications for artist/engineer in residence

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: September 19, 2023 Rolling**

Arts Retreat

*Cultural Center | New York Mills, Minnesota*

**Deadlines: October 1**

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

*Awards & Grants | American Library Association*

**Deadline: None. Monthly Review**

Open Grant Solicitations

*Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State*

**Various**

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Agencies interested in posting information should go to [www.portalwisconsin.org/participate.cfm](http://www.portalwisconsin.org/participate.cfm)

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